UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK
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LOUIS DREYFUS CORPORATION, 08 CV. 1899 (DAB)

Plaintiff,

- against -

RULE 7.1 STATEMENT

MAERSK FREEMANTLE, her engines, boiler, tackle, etc., MS CONTESTE BERND BARTELS KG GMBH & CO., BERND BARTELS, A.P. MOLLER MAERSK A/S (MAERSK LINE), SAFEWAY TRUCKING CORPORATION and EAST COAST CES INC.,

Defendants.
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Pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and to enable District Judges and Magistrate Judges of the Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel for Defendants MS CONTESTE REEDEREI BERND BARTELS GMBH & Co. KG sued herein as MS Conteste Bernd Bartels KG GmbH & Co., certifies that there are no corporate parents of said party and there are no publicly held corporations that own more than 10% of the shares of the above companies.

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